

Islamic Fundamentalism and Modernity (RLE Politics of Islam), 2013, 9781134609703, 168 pages, William Montgomery Watt, Routledge, 2013

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